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FROM: AFHQ

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TO : MEIA

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REF : C-15548

YOUR ED 2921 OF 27 (.)

STRENGTH ITALIAN ARMY PERSONNEL ATTACHED UNITS IN
LETTERS QUOTED - NIL

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- GSO 2 (SD)
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- GSO 2 (I)

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Land Forces Sub Commission 2738
allied Prisoner MMIA 15

RESTRICTED.

SUBJECT: Implementation of WE - Camps.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.
G-1(Br)/1032/A-1(Ser 3044).
27 Aug 45.

S.D.

HQ ALLIED PRISONER OF WAR REPATRIATION UNIT.

Reference AFHQ letter of even number (Serial 2978) dated 20 Aug 45.

The following amendments are made:-

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Para 1.

Under appointments to be implemented:-

ADD

Batman - Driver. 1
Car 4 x 2 Light Utility. 1

Para 3(b)

INSERT

After 'all vehicles' -
'less one Car 4 x 2 Light Utility'

Alfred D. King, Jr.
Field Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
Mediterranean Theatre.

28 AUG 1945

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(as per above quoted letter)

(W31/131 of 22 Aug 45 refers.)

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DATE: *28 Aug*

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GSO 2 (1)
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GSO 2 (3) *X*
GSO 2 (4)
GSO 3 (1) *X*
GSO 3 (2) *X*
GSO 3 (3)

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FROM : WMLA
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TO : AFHQ
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PLEASE ADVISE STRENGTH OF ITALIAN ARMY PERSONNEL
AFF UNITS STATED IN YOUR LETTERS G-4 (BR)1052/A.1
(SER 2978) AND G-4 (BR)1079/A.1 (SER 2975) BOTH
OF 20 AUG 45

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PRIORITY ROUTINE

AUTHENTICATED

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INITIALS:

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SUBJECT:- Implementation of W.E. - Camps.

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-1(BR)/1032/A.1 (Ser. 2978)
20 Aug 45.

HQ ALLIED PRISONER OF WAR REPATRIATION
UNIT

1. The above mentioned unit on W.E. CM/352/2 (XII/996/2) will be restricted to the following appointments with effect from 25 Aug 45, under the supervision of HQ No.3 District.

Camp Commandant (Capt)	-	1	G-1
Casualty Officer (Subaltern)		1	G-2 (Ops)
Clerks, General Duties RASC			G-2 (SO)
Serjeant		1	G-2 (W)
Corporal		1	G-2 (L)
Lance Corporal		1	G-3 (SO)
Privates		2	G-3 (Formal)
			G-3 (L)

2. PERSONNEL

Postings will be effected as follows:-

- (i) Officers: (a) Staff Officers by
Dep Mil Sec, AFHQ.
(b) Others by G-1(B), AFHQ.

(ii) Other Ranks: by DAG GHQ 2nd Echelon

(iii) Italian Army personnel under arrangements Land Forces Sub Commission, Allied Commission (MMIA).

3. EQUIPMENT & TRANSPORT

(a) Surplus equipment to adjust to restricted implementation will be handed in to Ordnance under arrangements HQ No.3 District.

(b) All vehicles will be handed in to Ordnance under arrangements HQ No.3 District and a list of vehicles so returned will be sent to Q(AE), AFHQ, CTF and Q (AE)4, GHQ MEF, showing:-

- | | |
|------------------|-----------------------|
| (i) W.D. Numbers | (iii) Type |
| (ii) Make | (iv) To whom returned |

4. COMPLETION

HQ No.3 District will report to G-1(BR), AFHQ, when restriction has been implemented with copy to GHQ 2nd Echelon certifying that casualties have been rendered to them showing the necessary personnel "s.o.s."

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Mediterranean Theatre.

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and distribution as necessary.

+++ WSD/131 of 13 & 15 Aug 45 refer.

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SUBJECT: Disbandment of Units - Mss.

RESTRICTED

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS
G-1(ER)/1079/A.1 (Ser. 2973)
20 Aug 45.

'B' ALLIED PRISONER OF WAR REPATRIATION CAMP.
'K', 'L', 'O', 'P' & 'Q' ALLIED PRISONER OF WAR
REPATRIATION DETACHMENTS & 'F' COLLECTION POST
FOR EX PRISONERS OF WAR

1. The under mentioned units on W.I.s as shown, will be disbanded under the supervision of the authorities detailed below:-

Unit	W.I.	Effective Date	Supervisory Authority
'B' Allied P.W. Repat Cem.	CM/542/2 (XII/1001/2)	25 Aug 45	HQ No. 3 District
'K' Allied P.W. Repat Det.	CM/773/1 (XII/1004/1)	15 Aug 45	HQ R.A.A.C.
'L'	- do -	- do -	HQ No. 1 District
'O'	- do -	- do -	HQ No. 3 District
'P'	- do -	- do -	HQ No. 1 District
'Q'	- do -	- do -	HQ No. 2 District
'F' Collection Post for ex P.W.	CM/542/1 (XII/1000/1)	- 25 Aug 45 -	HQ B.T.A.
		GSO 2 (Ops)	
		GSO 2 (SD)	
		GSO 2 (WE)	
		GSO 2 (L)	
		GSO 3 (Crab)	

2. PERSONNEL

Postings will be effected as follows:-

- (1) Officers - by G-1(ER), AFHQ.
- (ii) Other Ranks by DAG, GHQ and Echelon.
- (iii) Italian Army Personnel under arrangements to be made by Forces Sub Commission, A.C. (MIA).

3. EQUIPMENT & TRANSPORT

- (a) Will be handed in to Ordnance under arrangements supervisory authorities.
- (b) A list of all vehicles returned will be sent to Q(AE), AFHQ, C.F. and Q(AE) 4, GHQ, MEF, showing:-
 - (i) W.D. Numbers
 - (ii) Type
 - (iii) To whom returned.

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ALLIED HEADQUARTERS

'B' Allied P.W. Repat Cem.	CM/548/2 (XII/1001/2)	25 Aug 45	HQ No. 3 District
'K' Allied P.W. Repat Det.	CM/773/1 (XII/1004/1)	15 Aug 45	HQ R.A.A.C.
'L'	- do -	- do -	HQ No. 1 District
'O'	- do -	- do -	HQ No. 3 District
'P'	- do -	- do -	HQ No. 1 District
'Q'	- do -	- do -	HQ No. 2 District
'R'	- do -	- do -	HQ B.T.A.

FILE: CM/548/2
DATE: 18/2/48

'F' Collection Post for CM/549/1
ex P.W.
(XII/1000/1)

2. PERSONNEL

Postings will be effected as follows:-

(i) Officers - by G-1(ER), AFHQ.

(ii) Other Ranks by DAG, GHQ 2nd Echelon.

(iii) Italian Army Personnel under arrangements of Italian Forces Sub Commission, A.C. (AMIA).

3. EQUIPMENT & TRANSPORT

(e) Will be handed in to Ordnance under arrangements supervisory authorities.
(b) A list of all vehicles returned will be sent to Q(AE), AFHQ, C.F. and Q(AE) 4, GHQ, JEF, showing:-

(i) W.D. Numbers

(ii) Make

(c) STATIONERY

Will be disposed of as follows:-

(i) Army Forms, Books & Stationery - to the nearest Stationery Depot (see GRO 337/44).

(ii) Publications (incl file copies of AGIs & GROs) - to No. 10 Publications Depot.

(iii) Office Machinery - to the nearest Stationery Depot (to be vouchered back on AF G. 1033 - copy vouchers to ADPSS, AFHQ).

(iv) Preservation of files and documents - see GRO 327/45.

5. PAY

(a) Imprest & PRI accounts of 'B' Allied P.W. Repat Camp and 'F' Collection Post, will be closed and forwarded to the Command Paymaster, No. 8 Command Pay Office.

(b) Any balances of cash from Imprest accounts will be handed into the nearest Area or Field Cashier.

(c) Regimental Funds will be disposed of in accordance with GRO 706/45.

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6. POSTAL

Attention is directed to GRO 683/43.

7. COMPLETION

- (a) Supervisory authorities will render report certificates to G-1(BR), AFHQ, in duplicate, when disbandments are complete, with copy to GHQ 2nd Echelon certifying that casualties have been rendered to them showing all personnel "S.O.S.".
- (b) Disbandments will be completed by 25 Aug 45:

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[Signature]
Field-Marshal,
Supreme Allied Commander,
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Subject: Measures regarding Repatriation of
Italian Prisoners of War.

LAND FORCES SUB COMM AG (RMIA)

SD/32/2

4 Aug 45

TO : Ministry of War

Reference your 413166/RPGR of 28 July.

In view of our SD/32/2 of 28 July this letter has
been forwarded to WED and IPW Sub Commission, AG.

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D.W. Cheyne
mail

Major General
M.M.I.A.

Copy to:

AG for WED & IPW Sub Commission
(with copy of M of W letter under reference)

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TRANSLATION.

From Ministry of War

To: M.M.I.A.

Ref: 413166/RFGR

Date: 28 July 1945.

Subject: Measures Regarding Repatriation of Italian P.O.W.

With reference to same subject No; 412459 dated the 18/7/45,

and to the index of material and personnel handed to Major Baumann by Col. Anfosso, we make the following ^{at the request of the} ~~following~~ ^{propositions:} ~~propositions:~~

a) Personnel required for organising billeting centres:

The personnel asked for in the u/m list, is the personnel necessary for the internal organization of the centres ~~xxx~~ in question, excluding the personnel for guard duties.

For the said guard duties, CC RR are considered necessary, we therefore beg you to consider the additional personnel detailed as follows:

1 section for every centre comprising 10000 men.

1 1/2 sections for every centre comprising 2-3000 men.

Total 6 sections of CC RR.

The personnel required for clerical work and accountancy will be made up by casual civil personnel.

b) The following list of vehicles will make up the index of material required:

Cars	12
Light Trucks	12
Heavy Trucks	24
Motorcycles	14

The A/M total requirement has been assessed as follows:

2 cars, 2 motorcycles, 2 light trucks and 4 heavy trucks for every Centre H.Q. of 10000 men.

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Index of 2-3000 men

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1 car, 2 motorcycles, 1 light truck and 2 heavy trucks for every camp consisting of 2-3000 men.

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Mannerini
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SUBJECT: Repatriation of Italian POW

LAND FORCES SUB COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/32/2

28 July 45

TO : MINISTRY OF WAR

Your letter 412459/RPCR of 18 July has been carefully considered.

1. (a) The staff required for the purposes stated in your letter should be obtained in the usual way through the Allied Commission (War Materials Disposal and Italian Prisoners of War Sub Commission).

(b) The Supreme Allied Commander on 12 May 1945 granted Italian military assistance for dealing with Italian ex.POW, refugees and displaced persons up to a ceiling of 6,000 personnel from Combat formations and units.

It is understood that the assistance of only part of this ceiling has so far been requested and obtained.

2. It is regretted that no further allocation of Italian military buildings or material can be made for this purpose.

3. A copy of your letter is being furnished to A.C. for the S-C mentioned above; together with the notes made on the organisation required for billeting centres having a capacity of 55,000.

4. In addition, the above has been discussed verbally with Director, WMD and IPW Sub Com A.C.

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L. Browning
Major General,
MMIA

Copy to: A.C. for:-

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WMD & IPW SC (with copy of letter under reference).

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TRANSLATION

SECRET

FROM: Ministry of War

REF: 412459/R.P.G.R.

TO: General Browning

DATE: 18 July 1945

SUBJECT: Suggested measures regarding the repatriation
of Italian P.O.W.s.

See to 9, & 10.

1) - The end of the war in Europe has made it necessary to examine the very serious problem of the repatriation of ^{Italian} ~~returning~~ P.O.W.s in Allied hands numbering about 552,000 as follows:

- 356,000 prisoners of England
- 101,000 prisoners of the United States
- 35,000 prisoners of France
- 60,000 prisoners of Russia

Total 552,000

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2) - During brief conferences held with the War Materials Disposal and Italian P.O.W.s Sub-commission, a project was outlined which, on the assumption that the repatriation can be completed within six months of the date of its commencement, requires the availability of an organisation of reception camps (billeting centres) having a total capacity of about 55,000 men.

Preliminary studies reveal the advisability of creating such billeting centres to correspond with ports of arrival chosen in such a way that the repatriates may be grouped by regions or groups of regions and thus disembarked at the

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3) - Administrative Instruction No. 18 dated Dec. 1st. 1944, stipulates that: "Individuals who have been members of the past Italian Army are considered as civilians until such a time as they will have been enlisted or recalled according to present Italian Military procedure".

I am perfectly aware of the fact that according to the words and the spirit of said instruction it would be necessary to employ civilian personnel and civilian material for the whole of the

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complicated organisation required for the repatriation of P.O.W.s, in spite of the fact that Italian law deems a P.O.W. to be a military until, his administrative and documentary position having been defined, he is returned to civilian life.

A full application of the above mentioned instructions, in contradiction to Italian law, could not but have very important social and political consequences.

- 4) - Apart from the explanations given in the previous paragraph, it is is a fact that, especially bearing in mind the conditions at present prevailing in the country, there are no civilian enterprises capable of arranging and carrying out a task as complicated as that required to solve the problem to be dealt with.

The formation of reception camps (billeting centres) and their functioning require:

- capable personnel with experience in military matters and the essential authority and prestige;
- barracks or buildings or tentage in lieu;
- bedding (pallies and blankets), barracks stores, cooking utensils; etc., even if in the quantity essential for the maintenance of the repatriates, a quantity though which a very large number of repatriates will still render very considerable;
- and adequate quantity of transport necessary for the movement from port of arrival to billeting areas and for daily supplies.

- 5) - The Italian Government who is responsible for the reception and welfare of the repatriates can visualise no possible solution unless they can make use of Italian Military personnel and material to a great extent, especially bearing in mind that it is necessary

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In Campania and Puglia there are at present billeting centres equipped and organised with a total capacity of 5000 men apart from the Meker camp of Taranto organised by the Allies for the repatriates from the Balkans.

Two other camps are now being prepared at Taranto and Afragola with a capacity of 5000 men each.

When these centres have been completed the balance of requirements will be about 40,000 to be distributed proportionately among the main ports of Sicily, Sardinia, Lazio-Toscana, Marche, Liguria, and Veneto.

I therefore appeal to you to study the possibility of assisting this Ministry in this very difficult task, taking into consideration that for the organisation referred to and within the limits of strict necessity the Ministry would have to rely upon Italian personnel and on the means available in Italian Military Depots and Recovery Centres of the North, assuming that said materials, hostilities having come to an end on the European front, may no longer be considered to ~~be essential~~ be essential to the war effort. I would furthermore appeal to you to approach the Allied Authorities concerned in order that they may cede buildings and materials which may be lacking in Italian Military Depots.

Should you so require, exact data on the billeting centres to be prepared, their capacity, and the materials required for each of them, would be supplied at once.

Sgd. JACINI

Minister.

F.M. De J./O.D.



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Ministero della Guerra

Uff. Aut. Reduci Prigionieri
di Guerra e Rimpatriati

Direzione

Int. 112659/RPGM/legati

SEGRETO

*Risposta al Foglio del
Dir.*

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OCCORRENZA
Predisposizioni inerenti il rimpatrio dei prigionieri
di guerra italiani. -

All Generale BROWNING

CAPO DELLA LAND FORCES

SUB COMMISSION A.C. (L.M.I.A.)

R O M A

Roma, 28 luglio 1945

1°) - La fine della guerra in Europa ha imposto di esaminare il grave problema del rimpatrio dei prigionieri di guerra italiani in mano alleata che ammontano, come è noto, a circa 552.000 unità:

356.000	prigionieri dell'Inghilterra
101.000	prigionieri degli Stati Uniti
35.000	prigionieri della Francia
60.000	prigionieri della Russia

Totale... 552.000

2°) - Nei brevi contatti avuti con la War Materials Disposal and Italian P.W. Sub Commission, è stato tratteggiato un progetto che, basandosi sul presupposto che il rimpatrio possa essere condotto a termine nello spazio di 6 mesi dalla data di inizio, considera la necessità di predisporre una organizzazione di campi di ricevimento (centri alloggio) della capacità complessiva di circa 55.000 posti. -

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Lo studio preliminare considera l'opportunità di creare tali centri alloggio in corrispondenza di porti di sbarco scelti in guisa che i reduci possano essere raggruppati per regioni e gruppi di regione e quindi sbarcati al porto corrispondente, onde ridurre al minimo possibile i trasporti

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sul territorio nazionale, evitando un ulteriore acuirsi della attuale crisi dei trasporti.

30) - In base all'Istruzione Amministrativa n. 16 in data 1° dicembre 1944: "Gli individui che sono stati membri del passato Esercito Italiano sono considerati civili sino a che essi non siano stati arruolati o richiamati secondo la procedura militare italiana attuale."

Mi rendo perfettamente conto che secondo la lettera e lo spirito della citata Istruzione, si dovrebbe provvedere con personale e materiali civili alla complessa organizzazione inerente il rimpatrio dei prigionieri di guerra, a malgrado del fatto che la legislazione italiana considera il prigioniero di guerra come un militare fino a che, sistemata la sua posizione matricolare ed amministrativa, non viene restituito alla vita civile.

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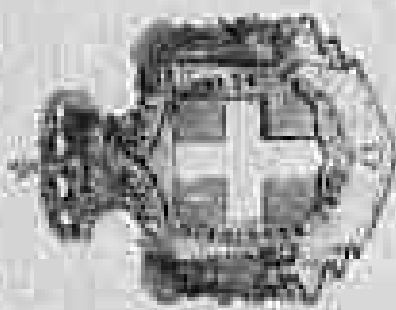
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La costituzione dei campi di ricevimento (centri alloggi) ed il loro funzionamento richiedono infatti:

- Personale capace, già esperto dell'ambiente militare, fornito della indispensabile autorevolezza e di prestigio;
- Caserme o fabbricati, od alloggiamenti in marcia di essi;



Ministero della Guerra
 Uff. Aut. Reduci e Prigionieri
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Divisione

Reg. V. P.

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Allegati

Risposta al Foglio del

Gen.

OGGETTO

Seguito foglio n° 412459, APR del 18/7/1945

Foglio n° 2

- Materiali letterei (paglierici e coperte), materiali di caccinaggio, di cucina, ecc. sia pure nel quantitativo minimo indispensabile alla sussistenza dei reduci, ma che il forte numero dei rimpatriandi rende tuttavia ingente;
- adeguato quantitativo di mezzi di trasporto, necessario per i movimenti dalle località di sbarco ai centri alloggio e per i quotidiani rifornimenti.

5°) - Il Governo Italiano al quale incombe il compito di provvedere al ricevimento ed alla assistenza dei reduci, non vede alcuna possibile soluzione se non ricorrendo in gran parte a personale ed a materiali militari, considerando anche la necessità di predisporre e completare tutta l'organizzazione prima dell'inizio - che si deve ritenere non lontano - del rimpatrio dei prigionieri di guerra.

Esiste attualmente una attrezzatura di centri alloggio in Campania e nelle Puglie della capacità complessiva di

Taranto organizzato

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Esiste attualmente una attrezzatura di centri alloggio in Campania e nelle Puglie della capacità complessiva di 5.000 uomini, oltre al campo Toker di Taranto organizzato dagli Alleati per i reduci dalla Balcania.

Sono inoltre in corso di allestimento due altri centri a Taranto e presso Napoli (Afragola), della capacità di 5.000 posti ciascuno.

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Ad allestimento completato di tali centri, il residuo fab-
bisogno di posti si aggira sulla cifra di 40.000, da distri-
buirsi in corrispondenza dei principali porti della Sicilia,
Sardegna, del Lazio - Toscana, Marche, Liguria e del Veneto.

Mi rivolgo quindi alla Sua cortesia perchè voglia ega-
minare la possibilità di agevolare questo Ministero in co-
si arduo compito, prendendo in considerazione la sua neces-
sità di attingere per la organizzazione in parola, nei li-
miti dello stretto necessario, al personale militare ita-
liano ed ai mezzi di cui possono disporre i magazzini mili-
tari italiani ed i centri ricuperi del Nord, nel presupp-
sto che tali materiali, con la cessazione delle ostilità
sul fronte europeo, possono non essere più considerati in-
dispensabili allo sforzo bellico; ed interessando altresì
gli organi alleati competenti per la cessione dei fabbrica-
ti e dei materiali di cui difettassero i magazzini militari
italiani.

Ove Ella lo richiedesse, saranno subito forniti dati
precisi sui centri alloggio da allestire, loro ubicazione
e materiali occorrenti per ciascuno di essi.-

IL MINISTRO

Lacini

TRANSLATION

PERSONNEL REQUIRED FOR BILLETING CENTRES ORGANISATION

ACCOMMODATING 40,000

1) -- BILLETING CENTRES TO BE FORMED

Genoa	accommodation	10,000	
Venezia or Ancona	"	10,000	
Leghorn of Civitavecchia	"	10,000	
Naples	"	5,000	(arrangements are already being made to prepare two camps accommodating 5,000 each; the personnel requested are needed xxx to raise the two camps accommodation to 10,000.
Taranto	"	5,000	

11) STAFF PERSONNEL AVAILABLE

heads *(as given)*

One Billeting Centre Company is available at Rome and composed as follows:

24 officers	27 N.C.O.s	30 O.R.s
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111) STAFF PERSONNEL STILL REQUIRED

Two companies for Billeting Centres for 10,000, formed as follows:

22 officers	30 N.C.O.s	80 O.R.s
22 "	30 "	80 "

Two 1/2 Companies for Billeting Centres for 5,000, formed as follows

Maples	10,000
Taranto	"
	5,000
	5,000

(arrangements are already being made to prepare two camps accommodating 5,000 each; the personnel requested are needed ~~xxx~~ ~~xxxxx~~ to raise the two camps accommodation to 10,000.)

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Two companies for Billeting Centres for 10,000, formed as follows:

22 officers	30 N.C.O.s	80 O.R.s
22 "	30 "	80 "

Two 1/2 Companies for Billeting Centres for 5,000, formed as follows

11 officers	15 N.C.O.s	40 O.R.s
11 "	15 "	40 "

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Total 66 officers 90 N.C.O.s 240 O.R.s

IV) SPECIALIST PERSONNEL REQUIRED : in addition to those shown above.

Medical Officers	13 (including 5 Captains)
Admin. Officers	13 (including 5 Captains or Senior Off.)

TRANSLATION

LIST OF G.S. MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE FORMING OF
BILLETING CENTRES WITH A TOTAL ACCOMMODATION OF 40,000

Cooking and Mess Materials	(	Individual	Mess tins.....	40,000
			Spoons.....	40,000
			Cups.....	40,000
			Forks.....	40,000
General use	(		Camp Kettles.....	400
			Frying pans.....	400
			Ladles.....	400
			Skimming spoons.....	400
			Kitchen knives.....	400
			Large Forks.....	400
			Graters.....	80
			Tin openers.....	80
			Coffee grinders.....	80
			Meat baskets.....	200
			Bread sacks.....	2,400
			1.35 kegs.....	400
			Hatchets.....	80
			Bath towels.....	20,000
			Barracks towels.....	800
			Benches.....	1,600
Barracks stores	(		Mattress covers.....	40,000
			Blankets.....	40,000 (1)
			H.Q. and Services tents.....	80 (2)
			Bivouacs and accessories.....	40,000

(1) for the summer season - to be doubled or tripled during the cold weather

(62) In the event that all the billeting centres are set up in camps.

Centres eventually set up in buildings will permit of the

proportionate reduction of tentage required. In the event of

the centres being set up in buildings, it should also be borne in mind, in addition

Cooking	Skimming spoons.....	400
and	Kitchen knives.....	400
Mess	Large Forks.....	80
Materials	Graters.....	80
	Tin openers.....	80
	Coffee grinders.....	200
	Meat baskets.....	2,400
	Bread sacks.....	400
	1.35 Kegs.....	80
	Hatchets.....	
		20,000
	Bath towels.....	800
	Barracks towels.....	1,600
	Benches.....	40,000
	Mattress covers.....	40,000 (1)
	Blankets.....	80 (2)
	H.Q. and Services tents.....	40,000 (2)
	Bivouacs and accessories.....	

Barracks stores

(1) for the summer season - to be doubled or tripled during the cold weather

(2) In the event that all the billeting centres are set up in camps. Centres eventually set up in buildings will permit of the proportionate reduction of tentage required. In the event of barracks accommodation one should also bear in mind, in addition to accommodation for 40,000, the necessary accommodation for H.Q. departments (M.I. rooms - rations stores - Stores etc.)

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PERSONALE OCCORRENTE PER ORGANIZZAZIONE CENTRI ALLOGGIO

PER 40.000 POSTI

I°) CENTRI ALLOGGIO DA COSTITUIRE :

Genova	per 10.000 posti
Venezia o Ancona	" 10.000 "
Livorno o Civitavecchia	10.000 "
Napoli	5.000 "
Taranto	5.000 "

{ sono già in corso pratiche per appron-
tare due campi di 5000 posti ciascuno;
il personale che si richiede occorre
per portare i due campi a 10.000 posti.

II°) PERSONALE D'INQUADRAMENTO DISPONIBILE :

una cp. per centri alloggio disponibile a Roma composta di :
24 ufficiali 27 sottufficiali e gr. 80 truppa.

III°) PERSONALE D'INQUADRAMENTO ANCORA OCCORRENTE :

- due compagnie per centri alloggio da 10.000 così composte :
cp. uff. 22 sottuff. 30 truppa 80
cp. " 22 " 30 " 80
- due $\frac{1}{2}$ compagnie per centri alloggio da 5.000 così composte :
uff. 11 sottuff. 15 truppa 40
" 11 " 15 " 40

Totale complessivo uff. 66 sottuff. 90 truppa 240

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IV°) PERSONALE SPECIALIZZATO OCCORRENTE : in più di quello sopra segnato.

ufficiali medici 13 di cui (5 capitani)
" amministraz. 13 di cui (5 capitani o uff. superiori)

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

Uff. Autonomo Reduci Prigionia di

Guerra e Rimpatriati

ELENCO MATERIALI SERVIZI GENERALI OCCORRENTI PER LA
COSTITUZIONE DI CENTRI ALLOGGIO DELLA CAPACITA'
COMPLESSIVA DI 40.000 UOMINI.

Individuale	Gavette	40.000
	Cucchiai	40.000
	Tazzine	40.000
	Forchette	40.000
Materiali cucina e mensa	Marmitte (fusti)	400
	Padelle	400
	Ramaoli	400
	Schiumatoi	400
	Coltelli da cucina	400
	Forchettoni	400
	Grattugie	80
	Apriscatole	80
	Macinini da caffè	80
	Ceste per carne	200
	Sacchi per pane	2.400
	Barilotti da l.35	400
	Accette	80
	Asciugatoi da bagno	20.000
	Tavoli casermaggio	800
	Sgabelli	1.205 75
casermaggio	Fodere pagliericci	40.000
	Coperte da campo	40.000 (1)
	Tende per Comandi e servizi ...	80
	Teli da tenda con accessori ...	40.000 (2)

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Individuale	Gavette	40.000
	Cucchiai	40.000
	Tazzine	40.000
	Forchette	40.000
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	Padelle	400
	Rameioli	400
	Schiumatoi	400
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	Tende per Comandi e servizi ...	80 (2)
	Teli da tenda con accessori ...	40.000 (2)

- (1) per la stagione estiva - da raddoppiare o triplicare durante la stagione fredda.
- (2) Per il caso che tutti i centri alloggio siano sistemati in accampamenti. Per i centri eventualmente costituiti in fabbricati il quantitativo di tende deve intendersi diminuito del quantitativo corrispondente ai posti in fabbricati. In caso di accantonamento in baracche, oltre ai baraccamenti per 40.000 posti, occorre tener conto delle baracche Comando (infermerie - magazzini viveri - magazzini materiali, ecc.).

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Tel : BARI 11450

SD/32/2(7)

Subject : Staff for Repatriation Camps

Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm, A/C
(MMIA) c/o 64 Area

Ref : LO/7/SD
24 July 45

To : 9 Terr HQ

Ref LO/7/SD of 12 July addressed HQ MMIA - copy attached.

1. Please see their reply SD/32/2 of 18 July - copy also attached.
2. Please furnish 227 Div East Det with the necessary information to enable them to administer this unit.
3. The authorised strength of the unit will be 22 Officers and 99 ORs, and I suggest that it should be called the "PICZENO REPATRIATION COY" (COMPAGNIA DI RIMPATRIO PICZENO).

See pp 319

Wm...
Senior MMIA LO
Eastern Italy

Copy to:
227 Div East Det
MMIA HQ

GPH/es

FILE: <u>SD/32/2</u>
DATE: <u>24/7</u>

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G30 2 (P) *✓* *WLC 3575*
G30 3 (P) *X*
G30 4 (P) *X*
G30 5 (P) *X*
G30 6 (P)
G30 7 (P)
G30 8 (P)
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SUBJECT: Staff for Repatriation Camps

LAND FORCES SUB-COM, A.C. (MMIA)

SD/32/E

18 July 45

TO : SENIOR MMIA LO EASTERN ITALY SA

Ref your LO/7/SD dated 12 July 45.

1. In reply to para 2 your letter above:-

(a) Personnel in question are from the Combat Reinforcements at CERSANO provided against the allotment made by AFHQ (PX 74087 of 12 May) from ER-ITI Combat Troops to A.C. Italian Prisoner of War Sub Commission for staffing Repatriation Camps. P. 26 of Orbat 2/10 shows Camp organization for handling reinforcements and as such is the source reference of personnel in question.

(b) Detachment should be administered by 227 Div East Det.

(c) Combat scale of rations has been discontinued. Troops will be rationed on same scale as other Italian Army Units.

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Major General
MMIA

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Tel BARI 11458

Subject:- Staff for Repatriation Camps.

Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm, A.C.
(MMIA) c/o HQ 54 Area

Ref : LO/7/SD

12 July 45

To:- HQ MMIA ✓

In reply to para 3 of LO/7/SD of 5 July.

1. I have received the attached reply from 9 Terr HQ.
2. The position regarding this detachment or unit is far from clear and I would be grateful for official clarification of the following points
 - (a) Is it a detachment of one of the BR-ITI combat Units referred to as P 26 of ORBAT 2/10
 - (b) If a BR-ITI unit, should it be administered by 227 Div East Det.
 - (c) Should it really be rationed on the "Combat" Scale. If so, what is this scale.
3. A some what anomalous position will arise if another set of troops are to perform work analogous to that of the permanent staff of TUKER Camp next door, but on a more favourable scale of rations and eqpt.

See R. 7.

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[Signature]
Senior MMIA LO Maj
Eastern Italy

GPH/jd

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See E. 7.
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W. W. W.
 Senior MMIA LO Maj
 Eastern Italy

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Translation

From Mail Serv. HQ Paris

Ref 3218

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cc L. O. in cm. I. A 54 Area BAR

Date 9/7/45

(Reply to letter of 5/7/45. N 2) 7/5D)

Permanent Staff

Subject ~~Staff~~ for repatriation centre, Toronto

With ref to para 3 of letter referred to we forward copy of letter
from War Ministry No 410394 - ~~Displaced~~ ^{known} ~~Repatriation~~ ^{by} prisoners
& repatriates
of war office - dated 22/6/45, of the same subject.

DRK.

Col. V. Pettit

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COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI BARI (IX) 98
UFFICIO S.M. - Ordinamento -

Prot N. 3268/Ord

Bari, 9 luglio 1945

Risposta al foglio del 5/7/1945 N. L)/7/SD

OGGETTO Reparto d'inquadramento del centro alloggio
di Taranto

ALLA MMIA - LO presso 54 AREA BARI

Con riferimento al capo 3) del foglio in riferimento, si trasmette copia del foglio n. 410394 del Ministero Guerra - Ufficio Autonomo Reduci Prigionia di Guerra e Rimpatriati - in data 22 giugno 1945, pari oggetto.

TRANSMISSION	
IN	Time 1700
	Date 16/7
OUT	Time 1500
	Date 17/7

d'ordine
IL CAPO DI STATO MAGGIORE
(Col. V. Petitti)

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Translation

From HQ of W.

Ref. 410349/APGR.

To: Mil. Terr. HQ's Rome Div.

Subject: ^{Permanent} ~~Staff~~ Staff for Rehabilitation Camp, Taranto.

The cog. supplied by 235 inf. Reg. for staffing of a rehabilitation camp are awaiting in the Bianchi barracks, they are to leave as soon as possible for Taranto in order to take over the rehabilitation camp as arranged.

Mil. Terr. HQ Rome is asked to arrange the cog's departure before 25/7/45, making agreement with the competent Transport Delegations; to give precise instructions to the ofc. Maj. D'Accinni, reminding that the cog is to be considered as a self-administered ^{detachment} ~~unit~~ forward in time the departure date to this office in order that we can warn Terr. HQ Bari in time.

The Mil. Terr. HQ Bari is asked to arrange for the reception and settlement of the cog in the camp entrusted to them.

Point out to the ofc. cog. all instructions about the functioning of the camp, supplying him ^{with} the documentation and orders. If he thinks it necessary, he may be instructed for the first few days by a senior officer already acquainted with the service. The officer will be drawn from one of the rehabilitation detachments, at his disposal. Arrange, by agreement with the office authority, ^{supplies} ~~for the~~ ~~supply~~ of the cog, ~~have~~ bearing in mind that, as a detachment of the "PICENO" Div. they are entitled to various land clear for combat troops. Forward to this office in due time the operational date of the P.T.C.

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Uff. Aut. Reduci Prigionia di Guerra e
Ripatriati

N. 410349/RPGR di prot.

OGGETTO : Compagnia inquadramento centro alloggio Taranto .

AL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI
AL COMANDO MILITARE TERRITORIALE DI

ROMA
BARI

e. per conoscenza:

AL GABINETTO

La compagnia di formazione per l'inquadramento di un centro alloggio per reduci prigionia fornita dal 235 Rgt Fant e attualmente in sosta presso la caserma Bianchi, deve partire al più presto alla volta di Taranto per prendere in consegna il centro alloggio ivi predisposto.

Il Comando Militare Territoriale di Roma è pregato di:
-predisporre la partenza della compagnia entro il 25 c.m. prendendo accordi con la competente Delegazione Trasporti;
-dare precise istruzioni al comandante, Maggiore D'Accinni, ricordando che la compagnia deve considerarsi distaccamento con amministrazione autonoma;

- comunicare in tempo la data di partenza a questo Ufficio perché esso possa tempestivamente avvertire il comando territoriale di Bari;

Il Comando Militare Territoriale di Bari è pregato di:
disporre per la ricezione e sistemazione della compagnia nel campo ad essa affidato.

-illustrare al comandante della compagnia tutte le istruzioni circa il funzionamento del campo fornendogli la documentazione e gli stampati in vigore. Se lo riterrà necessario potrà affiancarlo per i primi giorni un ufficiale superiore già pratico del servizio da trarre da uno dei nuclei per centri alloggio, a sua disposizione.

-provvedere, d'accordo con le autorità alleate, al vettovagliamento della compagnia tenendo presente che, come distacco della divisione "Piceno", essa ha diritto alla razione prevista per le truppe di combattimento;

-comunicare a suo tempo a questo Ufficio la data di approntamento del centro alloggio.

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...sosta presso la casa in cui prendere in consegna il

-dare precise istruzioni alla compagnia deve considerarsi distacco

autonomia;
in tempo la data di partenza e il comando territoriale di appartenenza; in tempo la data di partenza e il comando territoriale di appartenenza di;

Il Comando Militare Territoriale della
tempestivamente avvertire la compagnia nel campo
possa tempestivamente avvertire la compagnia nel campo

Se lo riterrà necessario, il servizio di diagnosi e prognosi, già praticato dal servizio di diagnosi e prognosi, sarà praticato dal servizio di diagnosi e prognosi.

un ufficiale superiore, a sua disposizione, al vettovagliamento e al vestiario, e un altro, a sua disposizione, al vettovagliamento e al vestiario.

-provvedere, d'accordo con i comandi che, come distaccamenti, sono previsti per le truppe di

"piceno", essando a...

combattimento, tempo a questo ufficio

-comunicare al centro alloggio.

UTIL GENERAL

F/to A. Manninl

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(V. Bell'Aglio)

MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
Ufficio Ordinamento e Mobilitazione

ELenco REPARTI R.E. ITALIANO AUTORIZZATI IN REGIONE CALABRIA
CON L'INDICAZIONE DELLA FORZA VETTOVAGLIATA AL 24.4.45

	Ufficiali	Sott. Truppa
Tribunale Militare - Catanzaro	19	-
19° Distretto Militare - Catanzaro	5	-
21° " " - R. Calabria	5	-
37° " " - Cosenza	5	-
Depositi		
(12) Dep. 16° regt. ftr. - Cosenza	3	-
(13) " 19° " - Nicastro	4	-
(14) " 20° " - Vibo Valentia	5	-
(17) " 207° " - Catanzaro	5	-
(18) " 208° " - R. Calabria	4	-
(20) " 55° regt. art. - Vibo Valentia	5	-
15° Comm. medica pens. Guerra - Catanzaro	3	3
162° Ospedale Militare C.R.I.	27	85
- farmacia e mag. farmaceutico	3	12
- magazzino ordinario	1	4
- magazzino mobilitazione	1	4
23° infermeria presid.	13	27
15° plotone disinf.	1	27
64° Mag. distr. viveri presid.	12	26
67° " " - Cosenza	2	20
68° " " - R. Calabria	2	19
12° Dep. met. it. da riattare	-	10
13° " spec. casermaggio	1	4
Nucleo per il Nord (serv. comm.)	11	154
1002° Direz. art.	7	44
Nucleo per il Nord (serv. art.)	2	51
110° cp. colleg. territoriali - Catanzaro	4	61
Uff. requisiz. per A.A.	5	337
Nucleo per il Nord (serv. genio)	15	134
15° infermeria quadrup. pres.	1	-
4° rep. riparaz. autoveicoli - Catanzaro Sala	8	136
615° Delegazione trasporti - R. Calabria	8	13

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(12) Dep. 16° rgt.	- Nicastro	5	3	85
(13) " 19° "	- Vibo Valentia	5	12	12
(14) " 20° "	- Catanzaro	4	4	4
(17) " 207° "	- R. Calabria	5	27	27
(18) " 208° "	- Vibo Valentia	3	27	26
(20) " 55° rgt. art.	- Catanzaro	27	20	20
15° Comm. medica pens. guerra	- " "	3	19	19
162° Ospedale Militare C.R.I.	- " "	3	10	10
- farmacia e mag. farmaceutico	- " "	1	4	4
- magazzino ordinario	- " "	1	154	154
- magazzino mobilitazione	- R. Calabria	13	44	44
23° infermeria presid.	- Catanzaro	1	51	51
15° plotone disinfe.	- " "	12	61	61
64° Mag. distr. viveri presid.	- Cosenza	2	357	357
67° " " "	- R. Calabria	2	136	136
68° " " "	- Catanzaro	4	13	13
12° Dep. mat. it. da riattare	- " "	5	24	24
13° " spec. casermaggio	- " "	15	711	711
Nucleo per il Nord (serv. comm.)	- " "	1	312	312
1002° Direz. art.	- Cosenza	7	184	184
Nucleo per il Nord (serv. art.)	- " "	2	156	156
110° cp. colleg. territoriali	- Catanzaro	4	262	262
Uff. requisir. per A.A.	- " "	5		
Nucleo per il Nord (serv. genio)	- " "	15		
15° infermeria quadrup. pres.	- Catanzaro Sala	1		
4° rep. riparaz. autoveicoli	- R. Calabria	8		
615° Delegazione trasporti	- Crotone	1		
101° cp. forestale	- Catanzaro	41		
I btg. 60 rgt. s.i.	- Cotronei	19		
III btg. 60 rgt. s.i.	- Vibo Valentia	-		
Richiamati in sosta presso:	- R. Calabria	36		
dep. 20° rgt. ftr.		2		
campo sosta richiamati				
Sicilia				
ricoverati ospedale				

Translation

From: Mr of W
To: MMIA

Ref. No. 1355V/Ord./I.
Date: May 18, 1945

Subject: S. Andrea Camp

Reference letter SD/32/2, dated April 24, 1945
from MMIA.

1. We are sending you the attached war establishment recommendation relative to S. Andrea Camp.
2. In such war establishment the cadres (cut down to the essential minimum) are sub-divided into:
 - a quote of permanent personnel (108 men altogether)
 - a quote which is part of the reinforcements at the camp (142 men altogether)

MMIA - 'G'
FILE: SD/32/2
DATE: R²¹/5

Signed: Giorgio Luigi
General

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GSO 2 (Ops) _____
GSO 2 (SD) _____
GSO 2 (W) x-ING
GSO 2 (L) _____
GSO 3 (SD) _____
GSO 3 (Orbat) _____
GSO 3 (I) _____

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
STATO MAGGIORE REGIO ESERCITO
ufficio ordinamento e mobilitazione

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SEGRETO

N° 13552/Ord./I. di prot.

P.M. 3800, 18 maggio 1945

OGGETTO: Campo di S. Andrea.-

Allegato n. 1



ALLA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

ROMA

e, per conoscenza:
AL GABINETTO

SEDE

Riferimento foglio SD/32/2, in data 24.4.45, di codesta
L.F.S.C. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

- 1 - Si trasmette l'annessa proposta di organico, relativa al campo di S. Andrea.
- 2 - In tale organico il personale d'inquadramento (ridotto allo stretto indispensabile) è suddiviso in:
 - una aliquota di personale permanente (108 unità complessivamente)
 - una aliquota che fa parte dei complementi del campo (142 unità complessivamente).

TRANSMISSION	
IN	12.00
OUT	16.30
Date 2/5	



GERALE ADDETTO
(Giorgio Liuzzi)

Glinelli

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Del 18-5-1945

Allegato al foglio n° 13552/

ORGANICO CAMPO DI S. ANDREA

Comprende:

- comando del campo
- 2 battaglioni complementi (I e II)

I - COMANDO DEL CAMPO

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III - RAPPAGIONE COMPILARE MI

comprende:

- comando battaglione
- 4 compagnie complementi

Personale d'incasamento			Complementi del campo		
Uff. Sup.	Uff. Inf.	Sottuff. ufficiali	Gra due ti	Gra da ti	
1	1	1	1	1	1
-	1	-	-	-	-
-	1	-	-	-	-
-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	1	1	1
-	-	-	1	1	1
-	-	-	-	-	4
1	2	1	2	5	5(1)
-	1	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	1	1	-
-	-	-	-	-	1
-	-	-	-	-	3
-	1	-	1	4	4(1)
-	-	-	35	3	-
-	-	-	1	1(1)	-
-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	3	-

A) - COMANDO DI BATTAGLIONE

- Comandante (Maggiore)
- Aiutante Maggiore (sub.)
- Ufficiale sub. medico
- Sottufficiale di contabilità
- Graduato di contabilità
- Scritturali e dattilografi
- Militari per servizi vari

TOTALE COMANDO BATTAGLIONE

B) - COMPAGNIA COMPLEMENTARI

Comprende:

- - comando compagnia
- - 4 plotoni complementi

Comandó compaña

- Comandante (Cap. o Ten.)
- Graduato di contabilità
- Magazziniere
- Militari per servizi vari

Totale comando compagnia

Plotone complementi (su 3 sq.)

- Comandante plotone (Uff. o Sottuff.)

Squadra complementi

- Comandante (graduato)
- Complementi (2)

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- (1) - Fanno parte dei complementi del campo
- (2) - Ogni squadra inquadra in genere 15 complementi
- (3) - Nella compagnia si hanno:
 - 1 plotone comandato da ufficiale sub.
 - 3 plotoni comandati da sottufficiali.

III - RIEPILOGO DEL CAMPO

Personale d'inquadramento (permanente)				Compl. del campo (1)	
Uff. Sup.	Uff. inf.	Sottuff. li	Gra dua ti	Sol da ti	Sol da ti
1	6	7	7	39	-
1	10	13	-	-	21
1	10	13	-	-	21
3	26	33	7	39	42(1)

Comando del campo
I battaglione complementi
II battaglione complementi

TOTALE

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(1) - Fanno parte dei complementi del campo.

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DATE TIME OF ORIGIN

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TO (FOR INFO) : DISTREE
HQ AG FOR C-1 (HA)

REVIEWED

FOR MIA LOS (.) CAPTAIN EDWARD - OWEN AND LIEUT SCOTT ATTACHED ST ANDREWS
CAMP WHEN A C WILL REPORT FORTHWITH TO HQ AC FOR REASSIGNMENT

PRECEDENT K **IMPORTANT**

AUTHORIZATION

INTERNAL DIST:

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FILE: 59/32/2

DATE: 26/4

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DEFENSE SIGNAL

FROM : DIA
TO : SA ABRA
REF : SD 2632

Date Time
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FOR DIA LO (*) SD/32 RESTRICTED
YOUR SD/167 OF 24 APR (*)
FIRST (*) HAVE REQUESTED WAR MINISTRY TO
SUBMIT PROPOSAL FOR RE (*)
SECOND (*) WILL INFORM YOU EARLIEST WED DECISION (*)
THIRD (*) MEANTIME WORK ON SD OFFER 250/ OR INCL 100 FOR
GD MUTI AND 20 CARABINIERI

PREPARED BY ROUTINE

AUTHENTICATED

Handwritten signature: J. N. Cherry
Handwritten initials: mas

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two. 25 Apr 45.

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SUBJECT: St. Andrews Camp

RESTRICTED

LAND FORCES SUB-COM, AC (MIA)

SD/32/2

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Apr 45

TO : WAR MINISTRY

1. It is noted that no WE exists for St Andrews Camp.
2. It is likely that the present holding of the camp, i.e. approx 1500, is likely to be maintained over the next few months.
3. It is considered, therefore, desirable to organise the camp on a suitable WE and you are directed to submit a proposed WE for a Transit Camp to hold up to 1500 in the form set out in this HQ Office Instruction No 74 forwarded under our HQ letter SD/103 of 5 Apr for consideration by WEC.
4. It is emphasised that the size of the staff should be kept to a minimum.

F. 57
SD/103.

See F. 47.

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Major General
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